

January 14, 2008

The Honorable Representative Mary Mascher
Iowa Legislature
State Capitol
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Re: Home-based Child Care Study Committee Recommendations

Dear Representative Mascher:

The Iowa State Child Care Advisory Council met on January 10, 2008. We had an opportunity to review the Home-based Child Care Study Committee Recommendations from the November 21, 2007 meeting.

In regard to the fourth recommendation, the establishment of a work group, after review, discussion and resolution, the State Child Care Advisory Council, with support from the Department of Human Services, is offering to assume responsibility for establishing the work group to complete the work addressed in the recommendation and submit a report to the Governor and the General Assembly on or before December 15, 2008.

Any recommended work group membership not already represented on the Advisory Council, would be invited to participate on the work group.

If you would like to discuss this offer, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Chair,
Iowa State Child Care Advisory Council

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